Common Grant & Loan Sources for Small Public Water Systems in New Hampshire

| Funding Program | Who's eligible | Туре | Contacts | Deadlines |
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| Community Development Block Grants (CDBG) | Municipalities, counties, water districts, non-profit organizations | 100% grant up to \$500,000 Feasibility Study and Construction | NH Comm Dev Finance Authority Gloria Paradise; 603-226-2170 www.nhcdfa.org | January and July |
| Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (SRF) Loans | All community public water supplies, public and private, non-transient water supplies | 1.3 to 4.2% interest, 5 to 20 yrs Capital improvements, design and construction | NHDES DWGB, 603-271-2948 Richard.Skarinka@des.nh.gov http://des.nh.gov/organization/divisions/wat er/dwgb/capacity/dwsrf.htm | May 1 Pre-applic July 1 Full Application |
| PWS Regionalization Grant PWS Groundwater | All Public Water Supplies All Public Water Supplies, all | 25% grant for eligible inter- connection of two or more PWS, for design and construction costs 25% grant eligible investigations | NHDES DWGB, 603-271-2513 Robert.Mann@des.nh.gov Richard.Skarinka@des.nh.gov http://des.nh.gov/organization/divisions/wat | July 1 |
| Investigation Grant Source Water Protection / Security Grant | contamination excluding MtBE All PWS as well as Conservation districts and Regional Planning Commissions if endorsed by PWS | costs performed by P.E. or P.G. 100% grant up to \$20,000 Security and source water protection capital improvements | er/dwgb/capacity/pwsg.htm NHDES DWGB SWP, 603-271-7017 Johnna.McKenna@des.nh.gov http://des.nh.gov/organization/divisions/wat er/dwgb/dwspp/lswp_grants.htm | Aug – RFP Nov – Proposals due Jan - Award notices April - Contracts |
| RCAP Small System Loans | All Public Water Supplies | +/-5% interest, up to 10 yrs \$100,000 max, capital improve- ments design, construction | RCAP Solutions http://rcap.org/ Bob Morency, (603) 539-5803 RMorency@rcapsolutions.org Holly Baker, (479)-443-2700 Ext 114 | Anytime |
| NH School Building Aid Program Grant | Public schools | Reimbursement 30% - 60% of construction costs | NH Dept of Education, Ed Murdough 603-271-2037, www.ed.state.nh.us | Anytime, but before Dec 31 for payment by next fiscal year |
| USDA Rural Development Water & Wastewater Loan / Grant | Municipalities, counties, special purpose districts, non-profit organizations | 70% Loan / 30% Grant typical 2.75% - 4.25% interest to 30 yrs Pre-engineering report required | US Dept of Agric / Rural Development Greg McPherson or Scott Johnson; 603- 223-6045 www.usda.gov/rus/water | Anytime |
| Water Supply Land Conservation Grant | Municipalities, Non-profit water suppliers. | 25% grant for lands within designated source water protection area. | NHDES DWGB SWP, 603-271-3114 Holly.Green@des.nh.gov http://des.nh.gov/organization/divisions/wat er/dwgb/dwspp/land_acqui/ | Summer / Fall |
| Fund for Gasoline Remediation & Elimination of Ethers - GREE | All Public Water Systems impacted by MtBE contamination | 100% reimbursement of sampling or pre-approved study and cons- truction costs for mitigation of MtBE and other gasoline ethers | NHDES ORCB, 603-271-3431 <u>David.Reid@des.nh.gov</u> | Anytime |